2018 TORCH Annual Conference & Trade Show

APRIL 10-12
HYATT REGENCY DALLAS
EARLY REGISTRATION DEADLINE MARCH 21

RURAL STRONG
Welcome to this year’s TORCH Annual Conference, a celebration of the tremendous strength of our member hospitals and communities. There is no harder working group of healthcare professionals on the planet and we are proud to represent you during these challenging times. The purpose of the TORCH Annual Conference, aside for being a great time for you to network with your hospital colleagues and vendor partners, is to provide the very best direction and business intelligence we can gather and to present them to you in a way that will help direct your efforts and guide you toward success in the year ahead. We have some truly amazing presenters lined up for you this year and we hope you enjoy hearing and learning from each and every one of them. This is the biggest statewide gathering of rural hospitals in the country and we expect an exceptionally ‘strong’ turnout this year.

So mark your calendars and make your plans to be in Dallas this April. When we gather and learn and share our knowledge for the benefit of all our rural communities, we show what it truly means to be Rural Strong!

Sincerely,

Steve Summers, CPA, FACHE
Interim CEO/President
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Register Online: bit.ly/Annual2018  
All speakers have been invited or confirmed. CEUs available: 12 hours.
Over the years, we’ve travelled a lot of miles across this great state and through our journeys one thing always stumps us: Where’s a good place to eat in this town? Many times, we ask our friends Yelp or Google, because frankly, fast-food chain restaurants don’t cut it and we really want to dine where the locals do, but just don’t know where to go.

So here’s where you can help us! TORCH is asking all of our members to gather information on your community’s favorite restaurants and share it with us. We want to know where we should absolutely dine in your neck of the woods. Share with us the place you know that serves up the best finger-lickin’, lip smackin’, falling-off-the-bones BBQ ribs. Where can we get some mouth-watering chicken fried steak that would even make Jesus say Amen? Who serves up a deliciously bad for you double cheeseburger and fries? Oh, and don’t forget dessert, we want to hear about the best chocolate pie or bread pudding that would even give grandma’s recipe a run for her money at the county fair. Please tell us all about it!

You can mail or email us photos, menus, news clippings and/or write-ups of your favorite eateries to the attention of Mollie Cook at TORCH and we will do all the rest. Once we receive your submissions, TORCH will professionally design a poster for your community and it will be displayed at the TORCH Annual Conference. We will also use some of the entries in future editions of “Rural Matters” magazine.

So, whether you live in Comanche and go to Cook’s Fish Barn, Whistle Stop Cafe in Decatur, H&H Café and Bakery in Yoakum or Allen’s Family Style Meals in Sweetwater, you know the best places to eat in your neighborhoods and now our members will too. Next time we are out day tripping across rural Texas, we will all know some of the best places to get our fill!

Please submit entries by March 15. Email to mcook@torchnet.org or mail to TORCH, P.O. Box 203878, Austin, TX 78720-3878
TUESDAY - APRIL 10

8:00am        HOSPITAL ATTENDEE REGISTRATION

10:00 – 11:00  PASSING THE TORCH - MEET THE NEW TORCH CEO
This session will give you the unique opportunity to share the passing of the TORCH flame on to only the third CEO in our organization’s history. For the past 28 years, this organization has grown to become one of the most respected rural health associations in the country and we are all looking forward to seeing what our next leader will do to help shape and grow the benefits and services of our organization in the years to come. So join us for this meet and greet interactive pre-conference session and together we will see and learn the vision of our newest leader as we position TORCH for future success and ensure its ongoing legacy.

11:00        "NEW CEO" LUNCHEON (By Invite Only)

1:00pm        CONFERENCE WELCOME & OPENING

KEYNOTE SESSION
BUILDING A CULTURE OF OWNERSHIP IN HEALTHCARE
Joe Tye, CEO & Author, Values Coach, Inc.
True strength comes from within. Joe will discuss why your invisible architecture is more important than the bricks and mortar or employee engagement and patient satisfaction. Using a construction metaphor, he will challenge people to think about "the blueprint behind the blueprint" – the foundation of core values, the superstructure of organizational culture, and the interior finishing of emotional attitude. The focus will be on promoting a stronger culture of ownership that fosters enhanced employee engagement and results in higher levels of patient satisfaction, productivity, innovation and ultimately profitability.

2:00        GENERAL SESSION
THE BATTLE ROYALE FOR RURAL AMERICA: A STATE AND FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE UPDATE
Alan Morgan, CEO, National Rural Health Association and Don McBeath, Director of Government Relations, TORCH
We often talk in hyperbole when it comes to rural challenges, but in this instance it seems difficult to overstate the challenges that our member hospitals are facing due to recent changes or inaction on our most important advocacy-related issues. At a time when many hospitals are teetering on the brink of disaster, we must gain the support of our policymakers in D.C. and Austin. Be a part of this important session and then resolve to make 2018 your most active year as a rural advocate.

3:30        GENERAL SESSION
A STRONG FUTURE FOR MEDICAID APMS: NO RURAL LEFT BEHIND
Lisa Kirsch, Senior Policy Director, Dell Medical School at UT Austin
Advanced Payment Models (APMs) are emerging in many states already and TORCH has been involved in that dialog since last year. As Texas determines how it hopes to add incentive and risk-based payment models to its existing Medicaid managed care program, we will benefit from the consultants helping to guide that effort and also from the Medicaid leadership in Arkansas about their lessons learned and how best to prepare and integrate our rural providers for maximum success.

4:30        GENERAL SESSION
WAIVER RENEWAL
Executive Commissioner Charles Smith, Texas Health and Human Services
Commissioner Smith is the state executive charged with leading all the Texas agencies that deal with healthcare, most notably the state Medicaid program. Our recently negotiated 1115 Waiver gives Texas another bite at the Medicaid reform apple and the Commissioner is here to tell us what the strategy will be going forward and what rural hospitals can expect in the way of benefits and changes over the next five-year period. Let’s please make sure we extend him a very warm welcome from TORCH.

5:00        MEMBERSHIP MEETING

5:30        MEMBER RECEPTION WITH EXHIBITORS
(In Exhibit Hall)
Sponsored by Azalea Health and MileStone Healthcare

THIS REGISTRATION IS ONLY FOR HOSPITALS
All other participants may attend the conference only as an exhibitor and/or as a sponsor.
**WEDNESDAY - APRIL 11**

7:30am
**MEMBER BREAKFAST WITH EXHIBITORS**
(In Exhibit Hall)
Sponsored by Wilco Data

**SILENT AUCTION OPENS**

8:30am
**KEYNOTE SESSION**
**CORE STRENGTH: THE SECRET RECIPE FOR OPERATIONAL SUCCESS**
Dustin (Dusty) Thompson, Director, Department of Veterans Affairs & Author, Long Beach, CA

This opening keynote will fill your brain with good ideas and your belly with laughter, but there is no doubt you will walk away fulfilled and hungering for the opportunity to put some of Dusty’s ideas into practice. Come build the core strength of our facility and see how operational success is equal parts discipline, proficiency and humor. Make your new mission to care for the people of your community and to have fun doing it.

9:30am
**GENERAL SESSION**
**TELEMEDICINE’S TIME HAS COME: RIDING THE WAVE OF THE FUTURE**
Nora Bolcher, Executive Director, Texas e-Health and Saurin N. Patel, M.D., Chief Medical Officer, Access Physicians Global Telemedicine Solutions

There are few technologies with as obvious of a benefit to both providers and patients in rural areas as telemedicine, but for many years, Texas has been barred entry. Not anymore. The golden age of telemedicine in Texas has arrived and you’ll hear from a few leading experts that helped get us to this point and about how you can integrate exciting new technologies in your community that will improve access at a price you can afford. The time is now!

10:30am
**NETWORKING BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS**
(In Exhibit Hall)
Sponsored by Reimbursement Counselors, Inc.

11:00am
**CONCURRENT SESSIONS - ROUND 1**

A. **STOP COMPETING, START COLLABORATING**
Cambridge, I.
Moderator: Brant Couch, CEO, HealthSure
Panelists: Fran McCown, CEO, Haskell Memorial Hospital
Bill Haire, Partner, LRC Advisors
Dave Ashworth, LFACHE, Partner, LRC Advisors

Save Rural has become more than a mantra. Our future depends on it becoming our shared mission. No miracle is coming our way. It is time to take matters into our own hands. It’s time to work together to be Rural Strong.

This is your chance to find out how CEO’s and committed experts are collaborating to save rural. You will learn how they are staying safely ahead of the game by sharing services and resources.

And, you will find inspiration in the strength they’ve acquired by leveraging group buying power.

B. **PAGING ALEXA**
Cambridge, K.
Joe Feyerisen, CEO, Reach IPS

The evolution of personal medical devices (IoT) and Amazon Alexa’s simple voice-activated usability have captured consumer imagination and made artificial intelligence a household phrase. How can voice and IoT technology transform patient self-management of chronic disease and promote healthy lifestyles? Does Alexa have the ability to become patient home healthcare assistants?

**LEARNING OBJECTIVES**
- Identify ways that IoT technology can transform the way patients interact with health information
- Discover how IoT technology is boosting patient engagement
- Learn how Alexa is directly impacting patient care

12:00pm
**ANNUAL AWARDS LUNCHEON**
(Everyone is invited to attend)
Sponsored by TORCH Management Services, Inc. (TMSI)

**HOTEL REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MARCH 21**

**RESERVATIONS: (888) 421-1442**
CONCURRENT SESSIONS - ROUND 2

A. HEALTHCARE ANALYTICS: TRANSFORMING YOUR DATA INTO A COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE

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Greg Nicholas, Managing Partner, OptimizeHealth

We are quickly becoming an analytics and data-visualization driven society. We have visualizations on the performance of our bank accounts, our social media usage, how many emails we get and how many steps we take each day. At any point in the day we can look at a simple dashboard or two and tell what our performance is for the day or trends for the week. Healthcare organizations today find themselves with vast amounts of data. Unfortunately, the data resides in different systems that are not connected and it is difficult to see correlations. Turning the data you already have into a competitive advantage can seem like a daunting task. In this session, we will discuss moving from simple reporting to data analytics to predictive analytics and the advantages this will bring to your organization as you prepare for data driven decisions and gaining a competitive advantage with your data.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
- The difference between reporting, analytics and predictive analytics and the use of data visualizations
- Build a data strategy
- Linking data from your various data sources

B. THE POWER OF TORCH: SERVICES THAT CAN STRENGTHEN YOUR HOSPITAL

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Quang Ngo, Vice President, TORCH and Carrie Ruiz, Director, TORCH

You know TORCH for our advocacy work, and you know us for great education. But did you know that we also provide a variety of very valuable and affordable programs and services? From salary surveys to policy bank to a host of IT, hospital management and consulting services, you'd be surprised with how much more TORCH can help, and it's all designed specifically for you! Come learn about some of our great services and how you can take full advantage of them!

GENERAL SESSION

HOW VIRTUAL REALITY IS TRANSFORMING HEALTHCARE

Matthew Stoudt, CEO, Applied VR

Each new technology brings with it expanded capabilities and possibilities. VR is already changing the patient experience and finding a place in the treatment of both physical and behavioral conditions in the healthcare setting. Learn from a leading expert as he demonstrates what they have done so far to augment and improve the lives of the providers and patients they've worked with and where they plan to go next in this unlimited, virtual landscape.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES
- Learn how virtual reality technology can be applied in rural healthcare
- Discuss healthcare VR case studies and how the findings can improve patient outcomes

NETWORKING BREAK WITH EXHIBITORS

(In Exhibit Hall)
Sponsored by Cargo Health Plans and The Christian Company

GENERAL SESSION

THE PAYMENT PRECIPICE: KEEPING YOUR FACILITY OFF THE EDGE

Brandon Dubin, Partner, Durbin & Company and Deborah Whitley, Managing Partner, BKD

More and more rural hospitals are struggling financially and reimbursement issues like UHPP and LVA rank among the highest priorities for both TORCH and its members. What can you expect to change in the year ahead? Our reimbursement experts will be ready with their latest assessment of recent financial policy changes at the state and federal level and what you can do to help protect your hospital during these financially stressful times, since the biggest factor for operational success in a rural facility is a 'strong' bottom line. Have your questions handy.

MEMBER RECEPTION WITH EXHIBITORS

(In Exhibit Hall)
Sponsored by Discovery Healthcare Consulting Group and Imperial Construction

SILENT AUCTION ENDS

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THURSDAY – APRIL 12

8:00am
MEMBER BREAKFAST WITH EXHIBITORS
(In Exhibit Hall)
Sponsored by NCW Insurance

9:00
GENERAL SESSION
STRONG HOSPITALS ARE BUILT UPON STRONG COMMUNITIES
Jennifer O’Riley, Business Office Manager, Port Lavaca Clinic Associates, PA
Erin Clevenger, RN, Chief Nursing Officer, Memorial Medical Center - Port Lavaca
Aaron Fox, Chief Experience Officer, Matagorda Regional Medical Center, Bay City

The stronger the foundation, the stronger the structure and the best communities didn’t get there by accident. Hope for the future depends on dedication and the hard work of the leaders in the community. This panel presentation will highlight some community and hospital leaders that have succeeded in building a strong and vibrant culture and have taken their town to the next level. See how you might replicate their success and how that can help transform your facility.

10:00
GENERAL SESSION
LEGAL ARGUMENTS, ADVICE AND ANALYSIS FOR RURAL HOSPITALS
Kevin Reed, JD, Partner, Shareholder, Reed, Claymon, Meeker & Hargett, PLLC and Jennifer Claymon, JD, Partner, Shareholder, Reed, Claymon, Meeker & Hargett, PLLC

Each year, this highly anticipated general session involves more than just legal advice, plain and dry. It is also a wealth of information for leaders and trustees that help guide them through troubled waters and also toward meaningful opportunities for success and greater engagement. Let Kevin and Jennifer strengthen your knowledge of the latest legal issues and help you to find ways to make your rural hospitals a safe haven for your patients and providers.

11:00
CLOSING SESSION
RURAL STRONG BEGINS WITH YOU!
Bill Auxier, Ph.D., CEO-Dynamic Leadership Academy, Author, Assistant Professor-University of Maryland University Center, and Host of Rural Health Leadership Radio™

Why do you work in rural health? How are you making a difference? What is Rural Strong? This closing keynote will inspire you. You will head back home with renewed energy and focus to deliver healthcare in your community. Delivering rural healthcare has its challenges. It’s easy to feel overwhelmed, isolated and beaten down. Hearing stories how others have overcome similar obstacles will inspire YOU to be Rural Strong, Bill will share stories of tragedy and triumph, fear and courage, humor and seriousness. Be a part of something bigger! YOU are what makes Rural Strong!

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CLOSING REMARKS
David Byrom

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CHECK OUR WEBSITE, WWW.TORCHNET.ORG, FOR REGISTRATION AND EVENT DETAILS.
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TORCH ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The board of directors will report to the members on the current status and future direction of the organization and elections will be held for positions on the Board. This meeting will be held in the General Session Room at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 12.

TORCH AWARDS LUNCHEON

Each year we take a moment to recognize some of our outstanding hospital and corporate members as well as the scholarship recipients who were selected since the last TORCH Annual Conference. There are concurrent sessions scheduled both before and after the luncheon to allow time to setup the room. We urge you to take part in this wonderful networking opportunity and to find out who is this year’s recipient of our most prestigious award, the Gordon Russell Award of Merit. One well-deserving CEO will be taking home the award, so please come and cheer them on.

AWARD OF MERIT FOR OUTSTANDING RURAL HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATOR

Each year at the TORCH Annual Conference, the Gordon Russell Award of Merit is presented by the board of directors to recognize an individual administrator for accomplishments, leadership and efforts in advancing the value of rural and community hospitals in Texas. The award’s namesake, Gordon Russell, established high standards during his long and distinguished career in the healthcare industry with his commitment and dedication. Continuing that tradition, the previous Award of Merit recipients were:

2000 – Ben Durr
2001 – Frances T. Smith
2002 – Jim B. Smith
2003 – Ernie Parisi
2004 – Doug Langley
2006 – Windell McCord
2007 – Lynn Heller
2008 – Mike Click, RN
2009 – Wally Boyd

*If you would like to nominate an administrator for this award, please contact Carrie Ruiz at the TORCH Office.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

A certificate of attendance is available for participants, which can be used to claim CE credits from professional associations and state licensing boards. This program specifically provides:

1. A total of 12.5 hours of CE units for CPAs are available from the Texas State Board of Public Accountancy: sponsor #04763. No preparation required.

2. TORCH is authorized to award 12.5 hours of pre-approved ACHE Qualified Education credit for this program toward advancement or recertification in the American College of Healthcare Executives. Participants in this program wishing to have the continuing education hours applied toward ACHE Qualified Education credit should indicate their attendance when submitting application to the American College of Healthcare Executives for advancement or recertification.

3. This program qualifies for Critical Access Hospital Board Training Reimbursement through Texas State Office of Rural Health, Texas Department of Agriculture. For more information, go to www.texasagriculture.gov.

4. TORCH is authorized to award 12.5 hours of pre-approved continuing education for this program toward by the American Academy of Medical Administrators (AAMA). Participants wishing to have the continuing education hours applied should indicate their attendance when submitting application to the American Academy of Medical Administrators.

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EARLYBIRD DEADLINE: March 21, 2018
As you know, the trade show at the TORCH Annual Conference is one of the biggest in the state. We are pleased and proud that so many of our endorsed vendors, corporate members and other exhibitors and sponsors choose to make themselves available at one time and in one place and to celebrate with us. That means that no matter what you are looking for, it is probably available in our spacious exhibit hall.

There are 145 companies represented at the TORCH Conference this year, so come early and come often, that way you will have a chance to discover all that they have to offer. The Exhibit Hall is open from 5:30 pm on Tuesday until 9:00 am on Thursday. The receptions, breakfasts and breaks are considered dedicated Exhibit Hall times where all the refreshments will be located. So please come visit with all our vendors and sponsors and remember to get your game card filled in.

Drawing for prizes will take place on Thursday in the exhibit hall, winner must be present to win. A lucky winner will go home with a brand new Xbox One Console or an Apple Watch this year! Which will you choose?

This Registration Information is for hospitals only. All other participants may attend the conference only as an exhibitor and/or as a sponsor. Please refer to the Exhibitor Prospectus at http://bit.ly/Annual2018

10th Annual TORCH Foundation SILENT AUCTION & RAFFLE

As part of our 2018 TORCH Annual Conference & Trade Show, we will be holding the 10th Annual TORCH Foundation Silent Auction and welcome you to participate in this fun event! Proceeds from this event enable TORCH Foundation to award education scholarships and stipends.

This year’s Silent Auction will take place on Wednesday, April 11 in the Exhibit Hall. Winners will be announced during the Wednesday evening reception.

Donations for this event are a great way you can show your support for this worthy cause and receive recognition at the same time. It’s not too late to donate! We welcome everything from electronics to artwork to home goods to gift certificates. To make a donation, please download the Silent Auction Form from the TORCH Website (www.torchnet.org). Either fax the completed form to (512) 873-0046 or email directly to Carrie Ruiz at cruiz@torchnet.org. Items sent to the TORCH office must be received no later than Friday, April 4. Other items mailed or delivered to the Hyatt Regency Dallas must be received no later than the morning of Wednesday, April 11.

Thank you for your support and we hope you will attend our Silent Auction to bid on our generously donated items or buy your raffle tickets to win some awesome memorabilia!
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Hotel Registration Deadline: MARCH 26, 2018

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Critical Access Conference (CAH)
June 21-22
Hilton San Antonio Hill Country Hotel & Spa, San Antonio

Texas Association of Rural Health Clinics (TARHC)
July 25-27
Omni Downtown, Austin

Northwest Texas Hospital Association (NWTHA)
August 9-10
TownePlace Suites/Marriott Courtyard NE, Abilene

TORCH Leadership & Management Institute (TLMI)
Conference and Retreat
September 13-14
Horseshoe Bay Resort & Spa, Horseshoe Bay

Rural Hospital Information Technology Conference & Exhibition (HITCON 18)
October [TBD]
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